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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Thursday, 28 October 1993

SECURITY COUNCIL

3.15 p.m.	Consultations of the whole (closed)	Consultation Room

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

10 a.m.	41st PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall

1. Address by His Excellency the Reverend Father Jean-Bertrand Aristide, President of the Republic of Haiti.

2. Report of the Security Council (A/48/2) [11].

3 p.m.	42nd PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall

High-level plenary meetings to examine the status of international cooperation against the illicit production, sale, demand, traffic and distribution of narcotics and psychotropic substances: draft resolution (A/48/L.12) [agenda item 112].*

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* In view of the high number of Member States inscribed on the list of speakers, the General Assembly, at its 30th plenary meeting on 14 October 1993, *decided that the length of statements should be limited to 10 minutes.*

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE
Meeting of the Officers

9.30 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room C

FIRST COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	14th meeting	Conference Room 4

General debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items:

Agenda items [57] (A/48/27); [58] (A/48/222, 271, A/C.1/48/L.2); [59] (A/48/126, 128, 133-S/25556, 291-S/26242 and Corr.1 and 2, 484-S/26552; [60] (A/48/366; A/C.1/48/L.1); [61] (A/48/62, 67-S/25118, 71, 121, 291-S/26242 and Corr.1 and 2, 359, 311, 477, 480-S/26547; [62] (A/48/360); [63] (A/48/291-S/26242 and Corr.1 and 2); [64] (A/48/227 and Add.1, 272-S/26108, 477); [65] (A/48/297, 381, 484-S/26552); [66] (A/48/484-S/26552, A/C.1/48/3, A/C.1/48/4); [67] (A/48/399); [68] (A/48/256); [69] (A/C.1/48/3); [70] (A/48/305); [71] (A/48/86, 115-S/25419, 119-S/25439, 131-S/25552, 135-S/25581, 137-S/25593, 154-S/25614, 157-S/25665, 160-S/25734 and Corr.1, 165-S/25762, 166-S/25767, 171 and Add.1 and 2, 179-S/25853, 190-S/25890, 222, 228, 260, 272-S/26108, 291-S/26242, 300-S/26262, 324, 344, 359, 400, 477, 480-S/26547, 484-S/26552, A/C.1/48/3, A/C.1/48/L.4); [72] (A/48/137-S/25593, 294-S/26247, 326, 346, 359, 412, 477, 484-S/26552); [73] (A/48/27, 42, 270, 325, 358, 388, 477, A/C.1/48/L.3); [74] (A/48/494); [75] (A/48/209-S/25937, 389); [76]; [77] (A/48/353-S/26372, 514); [78] (A/48/29. 477); [79] (A/48/58-S/25024, 59-S/25047, 65-S/25102, 66-S/25117, 69-S/25167, 73-S/25193 and Corr.1, 79-S/25247, 85-S/25280, 87-S/25299, 89-S/25319, 94, 97-S/25381, 99-S/25382, 111-S/25394, 127-S/25522, 140-S/25597, 155-S/25627, 169-S/25787, 180-S/25856, 205-S/25923, 206-S/25932, 212, 213-S/ 25962, 257-S/26070, 265, 290-S/26234, 294-S/26247, 316 and Add.1, 353-S/26372, 356, 357, 379-S/26411, 397-S/ 26441, 395-S/26439, 402-S/26446, 477); [80] (A/48/94, 138-S/25596, 294-S/26247, 304-S/26290, 330, 347-S/ 26357, 357, 390, 404-S/26452, 480-S/26547); [81] (A/48/291-S/26242 and Corr.1 and 2); [82] (A/48/339, 371).

SPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION COMMITTEE (FOURTH COMMITTEE)

3 p.m.-6 p.m.	11th meeting	Conference Room 3

1. Questions relating to information (A/48/21 and A/48/407)

2. Requests for hearing (A/C.4/48/5 and Add.1-6)

SECOND COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	19th meeting	Conference Room 2

1. Development and international economic cooperation [91]

   (b) Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the 1990s

   Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.8

   (d) Economic and technical cooperation among developing countries

   Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.7

SECOND COMMITTEE
Informal consultations

Morning* 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5

Informal consultations on draft proposal A/C.2/48/L.5 (item 92)

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* Immediately following the adjournment of the 19th meeting of the Second Committee.

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	18th meeting	Conference Room 1

1. Social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disable persons and the family [109] (A/48/3 (Chapter VII.D), A/48/24, A/48/56-E/1993/6, A/48/207, A/48/289, A/48/291, A/48/293, A/48/359, A/48/462, A/48/476, A/48/484, E/1993/50/Rev.1, A/C.3/48/L.2, L.3, L.4)

   Conclusion of general discussion

2. Crime prevention and criminal justice [110] (A/48/332 and A/48/359)

   Introductory statement and general discussion

3. Social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disables persons and the family [109]

   Action on draft proposals A/C.3/48/L.2, L.3 and L.4

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	7th meeting	Conference Room 3

1. Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations [127]

   (A/48/11)

   Continuation of the general debate

2. Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [121]

   Managing works of art in the United Nations (also agenda item 125)

   (A/48/72 and Add.1)

   Introductory statement

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal meeting

1.15 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room B

Briefing by the Secretariat on the methodology for the preparation of the proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995

SIXTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	20th meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its forty-fifth session [143] (A/48/10; A/48/303 and A/48/170-S/25801)

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
8 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

UNITED NATIONS ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

10.30 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Room DC2-1860
3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Room DC2-1860

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE ON COORDINATION

Second regular session of 1993

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 8

OTHER MEETINGS

1993 UNITED NATIONS DISARMAMENT FELLOWSHIP, TRAINING AND ADVISORY SERVICES PROGRAMME

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room A
3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room A

AFRICAN GROUP OF THE SIXTH COMMITTEE

10.30 a.m. 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room D

ORGANIZATION OF THE ISLAMIC CONFERENCE
(Meeting on Bosnia and Herzegovina)
(at the ambassadorial level)

10.30 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber

OPEN-ENDED WORKING GROUP OF THE GROUP OF 77
(on item 104)

12 noon 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Truteeship Council Chamber

GROUP OF 77 OF THE WHOLE
(briefing on environment issues on INSTRAW and UNIFEM matters, and item 104)

2 p.m.-3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 4

AFRICAN GROUP OF THE WHOLE

3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber

WORKING GROUP OF THE NON-ALIGNED MOVEMENT ON HUMAN RIGHTS OF THE THIRD COMMITTEE

3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 1

ASIAN GROUP OF THE WHOLE

3.30 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 2

INFORMAL OPEN-ENDED WORKING GROUP OF THE NON-ALIGNED MOVEMENT OF THE FIRST COMMITTEE

3.30 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 4

GROUP OF LATIN AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN STATES
(Address by the President of Haiti and the Foreign Minister of Venezuela)

3.30 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5

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Forum

Parliamentarians for Global Action is holding the second session of its annual forum *"Strengthening Global Institutions" today*, 28 October 1993, from 9 a.m. to 1.15 p.m and 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 6. Today's sessions will focus on assessing and developing the political will in support of collective security and the formation of trained standby United Nations peacekeeping troops. The parliamentarians will also discuss plans to create an international parliamentary assembly to enhance democratic participation in United Nations policy-making.

All visiting parliamentarians are welcome to participate. United Nations delegates and members of the Secretariat are welcome to observe. For more information, please contact Jean Krasno (tel. 687-7755).

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Friday, 29 October 1993

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

10 a.m.	43rd PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall

1. Credentials of representatives to the forty-eighth session of the General Assembly: first report of the Credentials Committee (A/48/512) [3].

2. Election of five non-permanent members of the Security Council [15 (a)].

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

10 a.m	15th meeting	Conference Room 4

SPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION COMMITTEE (FOURTH COMMITTEE)

10 a.m.	11th meeting	Conference Room 3

SECOND COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

3 p.m	closed meeting	Conference Room 2

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m	19th meeting	Conference Room 1
3 p.m	20th meeting	

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	8th meeting	Conference Room 2

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	21st meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
3 p.m.	closed meeting	

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The Chairman of the FIFTH COMMITTEE reminds delegations that the proposed deadline for the submission of candidatures for appointments to subsidiary organs and other organs would be Monday, 1 November 1993.

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The 11th PLEDGING CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED NATIONS DISARMAMENT INFORMATION PROGRAMME will take place on Friday morning, 29 October, immediately following the Meeting of the First Committee in Observance of Disarmament Week. Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list of speakers should notify the Secretariat of the Pledging Conference (tel.: 963-5597).

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The ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON THE UNITED NATIONS PROGRAMME OF ASSISTANCE IN THE TEACHING, STUDY, DISSEMINATION AND WIDER APPRECIATION ON INTERNATIONAL LAW will hold a meeting in order to consider the interim report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the Programme on Friday, 29 October 1993, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 5.

The membership of the Advisory Committee is as follows: Bangladesh, Colombia, Cuba, Cyprus, Ethiopia, France, Germany, Ghana, India, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Italy, Kenya, Malaysia, Mexico, the Netherlands, Nigeria, Romania, Russian Federation, the Sudan, Trinidad and Tobago, Ukraine, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the United Republic of Tanzania, the United States of America and Uruguay.

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WORKING GROUP III of the DISARMAMENT COMMISSION will hold open-ended informal consultations on agenda item 6 entitled "The role of science and technology in the context of international security, disarmament and other related fields" on Monday 1st, Tuesday 2 and Friday 5 November 1993 at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 4.

Members of the Disarmament Commission are invited to attend.

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The COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCES will hold the 1st meeting of the third part of its 1993 substantive session on Tuesday, 2 November 1993, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 8. The agenda for the meeting will be as follows:

1. Review of the proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995: conference services [9]

2. Adoption of the report [12]

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The 1993 UNITED NATIONS PLEDGING CONFERENCE FOR DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday, 2 and 3 November 1993, at 10 a.m. in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. It would be appreciated if delegations that have not already done so would submit in writing the names of their representatives to the Secretary of the Conference, Mr. Alexandre De Barros, Room S-2963E.

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 45/215, delegations wishing to address the Conference should inscribe the names of their representatives on the list of speakers, which will be open from 25 October to 1 November in Room S-2963E (tel.: 963-2320 or 963-3027).

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United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

There will be informal consultations on the draft resolution on Agenda Item 36 (Law of the Sea) on Friday, 29 October 1993, at 3 p.m. in a Conference Room 6.

Copies of the draft resolution prepared by the Chairman of the Preparatory Commission for the International Seabed Authority and for the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea are available in Room DC2-0470.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Wednesday, 27 October 1993

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

39th plenary meeting

High-level plenary meetings to examine the status of international cooperation against the illicit production, sale, demand, traffic and distribution of narcotics and psychotropic substances: draft resolution (A/48/L.12) [112]

The General Assembly decided to hear the observer of the Holy See in the debate on the status of international cooperation against the illicit production, sale, demand, traffic and distribution of narcotics and psychotropic substances, as requested in a letter to the President by the representative of New Zealand on behalf of the Western European and other States.

Statements were made by the representative of the Marshall Islands; the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran; the representative of Canada; the representative of Australia; H.E. Dr. Carlos Amat Forest, Minister of Justice of Cuba; H.E. Mr. Arnaldo Velarde-Ramirez, Head of the Office coordinating joint activities against drug trafficking of Peru; H.E. The Honourable Amir Khasru M. Chowdhury, Member of Parliament of Bangladesh; the representative of Indonesia; H.E. Dr. Eugenio A. Lestelle, Secretary of State for Programming on Drug Prevention and Control of Narcotic Traffic of Argentina; H.E. Dr. Augusto Duran Martinez, Deputy Minister of the Presidency of Uruguay; H.E. The Honourable Raul Del Mar, Member of Congress of the Philippines; the representative of Algeria; Her Excellency Mrs. Grete Knudsen, Minister for Social Affairs of Norway; H.E. Dr. Zbigniew M. Halat, Deputy Minister for Health and Social Welfare of Poland; the representative of Kazakhstan (on behalf of the States members of the Commonwealth of Independent States, as well as Georgia and the Republic of Moldova); the representative of Turkey.

In accordance with the decision taken earlier in the meeting, the observer of the Holy See made a statement.

40th plenary meeting

High-level plenary meetings to examine the status of international cooperation against the illicit production, sale, demand, traffic and distribution of narcotics and psychotropic substances: draft resolution (A/48/L.12) [112]

The President announced that, in view of the substantial number of Member States still inscribed on the list of speakers, the plenary meeting this afternoon would go beyond 6 p.m. until at least 7:30 p.m. as an extraordinary measure and thanks to additional conference services made available to these high-level meetings, and that the General Assembly would continue and conclude the debate tomorrow afternoon.

Statements were made by Her Excellency Dr. Wilma Zafra, Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs of Colombia; the representative of Myanmar; the representative of Venezuela; Mr. Zainuddin Abdul Bahari, Director of the Anti-Drug Task Force of Malaysia; H.E. Dr. Carlos Larreategui, Attorney-General of Ecuador; H.E. General El Sayed Lotfi Gheith, Assistant Minister of the Interior, Director, Department for Drug Control of Egypt; H.E. Mr. George Ioan Danescu, Minister of the Interior of Romania; H.E. Mr. Jorge Ramon Valdes, Attorney-General of Panama; Mr. Rohan Perera, Secretary, Legal Committee of the National Dangerous Drugs Control Board of Sri Lanka; the representative of Guatemala; Police General Chavalit Yodmani, Secretary-General of the Office of the Narcotics Control Board of Thailand; H.E. Mr. Eamonn Doherty, Senior Drugs Coordinator of Ireland; Brigadier-General (Reserve) Benny Arad, Executive Director of the Anti-Drug Authority of Israel; Ms. Katalin Szomor Molnar, Executive Secretary of the Interministerial Drug Committee of Hungary; H.E. The Honourable Devi Prasad Ojha, Member of Parliament of Nepal; the representative of the Lao People's Democratic Republic; the representative of Benin; the representative of Lebanon; The Honourable Phandu Skelemani, Attorney-General of Botswana; Mr. Bappah Jama'are Muhammad, Director-General/Chief Executive of the National Drug Law Enforcement Agency, Assistant Inspector-General of Police of Nigeria; Major-General Salhuddin Tirmizi, Director-General, Anti-Narcotics Task Force of Pakistan; the representative of Cote D'Ivoire; H.E. Colonel Saleh Mohammed Al-Sheikh, Assistant Under-Secretary of the Saudi Arabian Ministry of the Interior in charge of Humanitarian Affairs; Colonel Mohammad Omran Taryam, Director-General of Security Affairs, Ministry of the Interior of the United Arab Emirates; Dr. Isaac Barreto Ribeiro, President of the Federal Drug Council of Brazil.

Committees

SPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION COMMITTEE (FOURTH COMMITTEE) 10th meeting

Questions relating to information [88]

The general debate continued with statements by the representatives of Brazil, the Republic of Korea, Nepal, Burkina Faso, Ukraine, China, Gabon, Tunisia (on behalf of the Maghreb Group), Japan, Kuwait, Chile and Ghana.

Statements in the exercise of the right of reply were made by the representatives of Iraq and Kuwait.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

SIXTH COMMITTEE 19th meeting

Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its forty fifth session [143]

Statements were made by representatives of Germany, Gabon, China, Spain, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Belarus, Sri Lanka, India, the Syrian Arab Republic, the Netherlands and Greece.

JOINT MEETINGS OF THE COMMITTEE FOR PROGRAMME AND COORDINATION AND THE ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE ON COORDINATION

Twenty-seventh series 1st meeting

Adoption of the agenda and organization of work [1]

The Chairman of the Joint Meetings, H.E. Mr. T. P. Sreenivasan (India), Chairman of the Committee for Programme and Coordination, declared open the twenty-seventh series of the Joint Meetings of the Committee for Programme and Coordination and the Administrative Committee on Coordination and made a statement.

Members of the Joint Meetings adopted the annotated provisional agenda (E/1993/120).

Results of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development and their implications for the United Nations system [2]

The members of the Joint Meetings began consideration of agenda item 2 and had before them a background paper prepared by the Secretariat on the theme of "Results of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development and their implications for the United Nations system" (E/1993/121).

The Under-Secretary-General for Policy Coordination and Sustainable Development made an introductory statement.

Statements were made by the United Nations Environment Programme, the United Nations Development Programme, the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, the World Health Organization, the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, the United Nations Population Fund, the International Labour Organisation and the United Nations Industrial Development Organization.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Russian Federation, Germany, China, Brazil, Norway and Uganda.

The members of the Joint Meetings then entered into a dialogue (exchange of views) in which the observer for Tunisia, the representatives of the World Intellectual Property Organization, the United States of America and Indonesia participated.

2nd meeting

Results of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development and their implications for the United Nations system [2]

Members of the Joint Meetings continued the dialogue concerning the agenda item and the delegations of the Netherlands, Japan, the United Kingdom, Poland, India, Uganda, Colombia and China, as well as representatives of the following United Nations Specialized Agencies, Funds and Programmes participated: United Nations Conference on Trade and development, United Nations Development Programme, the United Nations Industrial Development Organization, the World Bank, the International Fund for Agricultural Development, the United Nations Population Fund, the International Maritime Organization, the World Food Programme and the New York Liaison Office of the Regional Commissions.

The Under-Secretary-General for Policy Coordination and Sustainable Development commented on statements made and questions raised and made some concluding remarks.

The Chairman of the Joint Meetings presented a summary of the Twenty-seventh series of the Joint Meetings, which was distributed to the members of the Joint Meetings and declared the twenty-seventh series of the Joint Meetings of the Committee for Programme and Coordination and the Administrative Committee on Coordination closed.

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International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights

HUMAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE
Forty-ninth session
United Nations Office at Geneva

MONDAY, 25 OCTOBER 1993

1273rd meeting

Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 40 of the Covenant [4]

The Committee began its consideration of a draft general comment on article 27 of the Covenant.

1274th meeting

Organizational and other matters [2]

The Committee took a number of decisions relating to its procedure under article 40 of the Covenant.

TUESDAY, 26 OCTOBER 1993

1275th and 1276th meetings

Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 40 of the Covenant [4]

The Committee began its consideration of the second periodic report of the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya (CCPR/C/28/Add.16). In accordance with rule 68 of the rules of procedure, the representative of the State party was present at the meetings, introduced the report submitted by his Government and replied to questions posed and observations made by members of the Committee.

In view of the exhaustion of time allocated for its consideration, the Committee could not conclude the consideration of the report and decided to take it up again at its session scheduled to take place in Geneva from 11 to 29 July 1994.

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the United Nations, adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations on 13 February 1946

Succession: The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (18 August 1993)*

Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations, done at Vienna on 18 April 1961

Succession: The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (18 August 1993)*

Optional Protocol to the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations concerning Acquisition of Nationality, done at Vienna on 18 April 1961

Succession: The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (18 August 1993)*

Optional Protocol to the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations concerning Compulsory Settlement of Disputes, done at Vienna on 18 April 1961

Succession: The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (18 August 1993)*

Vienna Convention on Consular Relations, done at Vienna on 24 April 1963

Succession: The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (18 August 1993)*

United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, concluded at New York on 9 May 1992

Ratification: Tuvalu (26 October 1993)*

* The date of receipt of the relevant document.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

United Nations stamps

On Friday, 29 October 1993, the United Nations Postal Administration will issue a set of three different designs of setenant strips of four commemorative stamps on the theme "Environment - Climate". These stamps, the third set to be created for UNPA by Braldt Bralds (Netherlands), will be in denominations of 29 cents, F.s. 1,10 and S 7. In addition, UNPA will issue a set of three maximum cards on the same theme. The 1993 New York, Geneva and Vienna Annual Collection Folders will be released also on 29 October.

Details about the new stamps, maximum cards and Annual Collections will be available in Information Circular ST/IC/1993/55. The new items and hand cancellations may be obtained by members of delegations and staff members on 29 October 1993 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the north end of the Secretariat Lobby.

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